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United Church

Rev. N. W. Whitmore, B.A.
Minister

Church School, 11 a.m.
Pseps may lead, but examp-
to draw.

Public Worship, 7.30 p.m.
Excuses are refusals. We
need God in our lives—we can
be helped in our searching
by meeting with others in a
common purpose.

The Choir will lead in the
service of praise.
Sermon by the Minister,
"Dangers of Modern Religion."

Beautyland

Public worship will be held
at 3 p.m. Sermon by the Min-
ister. Story sermon for child-
ren.

We are agents for all magaz-
ine literature. Bring us your
orders and Renewals.—"Em-
press Express."

The past week has been one
of our most enjoyable periods
of weather, for some little
time; Old Sol being much in
evidence.

ESTRAY

On N.E. 6-24 & 4th.—One Saddle
MARE, branded A2 on left thigh and
Q on right shoulder.
One Chestnut MARE, white hind
feet, no visible brand.—David Wolf,
Cavendish, Alta.

To the OLD COUNTRY



FOR CHRISTMAS
AND NEW YEARS

Special Christmas Sailings

DEC. 7 S.S. MONTECALM LIVERPOOL
11 S.S. MONTREAL GLASGOW LIVERPOOL
15 S.S. MONTREAL LIVERPOOL
15 S.S. MINNEBOYA CHERBOURG Southampton
Port, Antwerp

SPECIAL SLEEPING CARS

Will be operated through to the shore side at West
Saint John for the above sailings.

Book Early for Choice Accommodation
Have the ticket agent of the Canadian Pacific give you
full information.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

WE ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEE

the highest price payable for cream, underbaking butter conditions,
when the top reads "Canadian"—and the better quality of cream you
produce the more money you will receive for it.

We can readily maintain that high grade of butter demanded by the
British market, producing the protective label with a good quality of
cream.

The demand for Saskatoon butter depends on
Remember that the quality—and the price of butter and cream is
governed by the demand.

Ship GOOD cream and make sure of reaching its destination in good
condition by shipping to our nearest station.

Caulder's CREAMERIES LTD.
EMPRESS, BRANCH

MOTHER, STOP THAT COLD!
There is danger from chills in this variable weather.
Keep on hand a box of Rexall Odores or Laxacolds,
and a tube of Balm or jar Mentholatum.

School Days Are Here
And we have the best in School Supplies for require-
ments of all grades. Make your selections at our store.

EMPRESS DRUG CO.

375,000 Canadian War Veterans

"Ypres," which will be shown
at the Empress Theatre, on
Saturday, should prove one of
the biggest attractions this
country has ever known, as it
is estimated that there are over
375,000 survivors who fought
in that inferno during the great
war, everyone of whom will be
eager to live over again—in
a distance—those dark yet glo-
rious days, and this will be the
first opportunity which their
relatives and friends have had
to adequately realize what they
owe to these great men.

Opening on the first battle of
Ypres, with the loss and re-
capture of Gheluvelt, the cap-
ture of Hill 60, the second bat-
tle in which the Germans intro-
duced poison gas to the West
front, in which German soldiers
achieved immortality, the land-
ing of the trench raids, which
were vital in the sapping of the
German morale, the grand as-
sault of the Mesines Ridge
with the exploding of 19 mines,
which had been eighteen months
in preparation, and the at-
tack on Passchendaele, the
picture closes when the road to
the channel flows has been
made impassable to the
German forces. It is a glorious
tribute to our Canadian con-
tingent.

Local School Report for September, 1926

This being the opening mon-
th of the school term. No class
gradings are forthcoming. A
change in teachers and a dif-
ferent method of leaving text-
books instituted by the Depart-
ment of Education are offered
as the main reasons.

Enrollment is as follows:
Primary room: Teacher, Miss
Ainslie;
Grade I, 8 pupils.
Grade II, 13 pupils.
Grade III, 12 pupils.
Junior Intermediate, Teach-
er, Miss Arthur;

Grade III, 9 pupils.
Grade IV, 6 pupils.
Grade V, 21 pupils.
Senior Intermediate, Teacher,
Miss Nichols;
Grade VI, 15 pupils.
Grade VII, 13 pupils.
Grade VIII, 12 pupils.
High School, Teacher, H. G.
Shaw; 21 students enrolled.

Students in Grades IX, X
and XI, will be recommended
for promotion on the results
obtained from four examina-
tions given during the term.

First examination will be in
first week of November.
Second examination, at
Christmas.
Third examination, at Easter.
Fourth examination, first
week of June.

A grand average of sixty per
cent is essential to obtain re-
commendation for promotion.
H. G. Shaw, principal.

"Arcadian" Dance

Those who attended the
dance by the "Arcadians" in the
local theatre, Wednesday, had
a very enjoyable time. This
orchestra is comprised of very
capable musicians and their
efforts were very well received.
There was a fair attendance.
Courtesy as to whether the
"Arcadians" would be here, un-
doubtedly was responsible for
the non-attendance of others.

Be sure to have your dinner
at the Bazaar, Saturday, Oct.
10 at 6 p.m.

Fall Planting of Bulbs

Now is the time to prepare
for fall planting of bulbs. A
bed of tulips planted this fall
will give a grand display for
many years without attention.
Perennials, shrubs and trees
for fall or spring planting.—
Mrs. E. S. Sexton, agent for the
Pittmore Nursery Co.

What About a New Ford

London, Ont., Sept. 18.—The
proverbial "bull" that comes
once in a lifetime came to hun-
dreds of Ford owners in the
grandstand at the Western Fair
today when they saw a stand-
ard Ford romp away from a
Whippet and Chevrolet com-
petitors in the special five mile
race on the Queen's Park track.
The Ford finished nearly six
hundred yards ahead of the
other contestants, making the
five mile grid in 7.27. The race
was a special feature of the
fair program, resulting from a
challenge issued by the Whip-
pet representatives to all own-
ers of light cars.

The spectators saw a thrilling
race despite the fact that the
Ford led the whole way. For
the first four miles the contest
was exceptionally keen between
the Whippet and the Ford, but
the Chevrolet was easily hap-
ped. The Whippet made good
time on the corners, but on the
straight the Ford zoomed a
head like a racing car.

N. D. STOREY

Sale of Cooking and Dance at Mayfield

On Thursday evening, Octob-
er 14, at eight o'clock the May-
field Ladies' Aid, will hold a
Sale of Home Cooking at May-
field Community Hall. Should
the weather be unfavorable
for use of the hall, the Mayfield
School will be used.

There will be a fish pond for
the kiddie. Immediately after
the sale a dance will be held;
proceeds same will go to-
wards payment of hall.

United Church Bazaar

The Annual Bazaar of the
United Church, will be held in
the new Sunday School room,
Saturday, October 10.

Sale of work opens at 3
o'clock. Come early and see
the nice assortment of fancy
work, aprons, dresses etc., at
reasonable prices. A new fea-
ture of the bazaar will be the
Farm Produce Booth. After-
noon tea will be served from
4:00 to 5:30, and dinner at 6:00.

DINNER MENU
Baked Potatoes Cold Meats
Skipped Beans Brown Bread

Pickles
Pie Tea and Coffee.
Adults, 50c; children under 12
years, 35c.

Barber-Watson

A quiet wedding took place
at the Manse, Alaska, on Wed-
nesday, September 20, 1926,
when Mrs. E. C. Watson, of
Saskatoon, Sask., became the
wife of Mr. A. T. Barber, of
Arcadia, Alaska.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs.
D. M. Graham. The Rev. C. B.
Oakley performed the cere-
mony. Mr. and Mrs. Barber,
left for Saskatoon, Tuesday
morning, where they will spend
a few days visiting. On their
return they will reside in the
Arcadia Valley district.—News,
Alaska.

The Junior Red Cross of Hind-
on are planning to hold a mgs
quarrel dance, in the Birdhouse
school, on October 29, in aid of
the Junior Red Cross hospital.

EMPRESS THEATRE

W. C. Boyd, Manager

Extra Date, Saturday, Oct. 9

AN EPIC IN CANADA'S HISTORY!



"Ypres"

Special
Orchestral
Music

The first official war picture ever
screened.

The story of the immortal silent. Actual scenes of
fighting in the Front Line Trenches.

The program will open with a suitable Patriotic Poem
by Miss Naomi Boyd. Accompanied by Special Orchestral
Music.

All Returned Men wearing their Return Button, will
receive a Complimentary Pass at the ticket.

Admission: 25c. and 75c. One Show only.

Friday, October 15th, 8 p.m.

"The Scarlet West"

An epic picture of the frontier days

C.P.R. Crop Report

Winnipeg, October 4.—Wear-
ing conditions during the early
portion of last week were fav-
orable throughout the West,
reports the Canadian Pacific
Agricultural Department, and
grain was drying out nicely on
Thursday night and Friday.

Further rains were experienced
over the whole of Manitoba
and Saskatchewan and covered
a large portion of Alberta.
Farmers in many districts were
able to get in two or three days
threshing, but were compelled
to suspend operations. Mani-
toba again experienced a set-
back by rains last night and
this morning and it will be
three or four days before work
can be resumed. In other Pro-
vinces machines will be busy in
most sections today or tomor-
row provided weather condi-
tions permit. The extent of
the damage caused by
sprouting and bleaching is the
subject of a variety of opinions.

It seems to be the general feel-
ing of those best qualified to
judge, however, that the situa-
tion as a whole is not as seri-
ous as has been stated in some
quarters. Until such time as
threshing returns are available
in sufficient quantity it will not
be known with any degree of
accuracy what the percentage
of depreciation is.

Seventy five per cent of the
threshing in Central and South-
ern Saskatchewan has been
completed and forty to forty-
five per cent in the north-
much of the grain threshed be-
ing on the tough side with con-
sequent loss of grade and value.

There is about 25 per cent of
grain to be cut in some districts
of Alberta, much of which is
judged and thus will necessitate
cutting the one way.

It is impossible to estimate
damage from sprouting as it
varies greatly in districts af-
fected. 35 per cent of wheat
not forty per cent of coarser
grains have been threshed.
Sugar beet harvesting is in full
swing, crop being heavier than
last year and sugar content
higher.

Yinits along the Edmonton
Dunvegan and British Colum-
bia Highway reveal good crops.

Anglican Church

Services on October 10th (10th
Sunday after Trinity):
St. Mary's Church—
10 a.m., Holy Communion
(with hymns and sermon).
J. Howles' Farm, 2.30 p.m.
Harvest Thanksgiving.
Retary School, 7.00 p.m.
Harvest Thanksgiving.

The offering at the Harvest
Thanksgiving will be given to
the Diocesan Fund in support
of necessary work at home and
abroad.

L. J. Tatham,
Priest-in-charge.

Wheat Supply Smaller

Ottawa, October 4.—Wheat
production on Mother Earth in
1925 is 25,000,000 bushels less
than the previous year, accord-
ing to an official estimate is-
sued today by the bureau of
statistics. This is the case not-
withstanding an increase in
production on this continent of
nearly 40,000,000 bushels.

Taking the production—in all
countries other than Canada
and the United States—the crop
this year will be 64,000,000
bushels less than in 1925.

In North America, while Cana-
da expects a smaller crop, the
United States will increase
their yield by more than 100,
000,000 bushels. All factors
seem to point to a keen demand
for wheat according to the re-
port, which reads:

India is not expected to be
able to spare any appreciable
quantity of wheat for export
and the situation as regards
Russia is very uncertain. Last
year it was forecast officially
that the exports of wheat from
the soviet republic might ex-
ceed 110,000,000 bushels, but
from July 1 to December 31,
they were actually only 14,900,
000 bushels.

"The wheat crop of France is
reported considerably below
that of 1925, the bulleting in-
cludes. The general outlook
appears therefore to be for a
strong demand for the Cana-
dian crop."

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Stolz, of Leader, is a new
mate of the local hospital.

Emil Kinsburg, of Leader, is a
patient in the local hospital and
is in critical condition.

Lucas Ditch, of Mendham, is a
patient in the local hospital.

In all sections, average being
well over the twenty five bush-
el mark.

Hardware

and Supplies

Halter Shanks and
Sweat Pads

Tubs, Wash boilers,
Granite, Aluminum
and Tinware

Alabastine
Paints, Oils, Glasr,
etc.

Nails, etc.
Tinsmithing and Repairs

M. G. BOYD

RESPONSE "is good COFFEE"

Farmers Suffer Enormous Loss

According to a bulletin recently issued by the Agriculture Department of Agriculture, weeds will cost the farmers of the Province more than thirty million dollars this year, in increased yield due to weeds, in the increased cost of harvesting and threshing grain, in dockage and freight on weeds shipped with the grain to Port William or Vancouver.

This year when conditions have been so favorable for the growth of grain, they have been equally favorable for the growth of weeds, and sections of Saskatchewan have many square miles of crops grown on some of the richest soil in the Province which have now yellow with mustard that hardly a blade of wheat could be seen. Wild oats have been worse than ever this year, so this is steadily widening the area where it is a thorn in the side of the farmer, and stink weed is flourishing like the proverbial green bay tree.

It is to a thirty million dollar loss for Saskatchewan alone, the losses for Manitoba and Alberta are added to the total loss for the three Prairie provinces will be between fifty and sixty million at least, easily constituting the heaviest cause of loss in Western agriculture. Rail losses have been heavier than usual this year, but they do not begin to approach the losses sustained by farmers through weeds.

For a quarter of a century or more Western farmers have been waging a battle for lower freight rates. They have won notable victories in this regard, not the least of which was the obtaining in the first instance of the "two" cent rate on grain and their restoration after they had been abolished during the war. But the estimated savings to the farmers of the three Prairie Provinces through the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement, running as they do into millions of dollars, do not equal the losses sustained by the farmers of Saskatchewan alone through weeds.

A reduction in the Customs tariff on agricultural implements and machinery, or on any one of the many articles necessary to the farmer, is hailed with pleasure as a real relief to the agricultural producer. The practical wiping out of the income tax so far as farmers are concerned, the reduction of the postage rate from three cents to two, and other legislative enactments reducing the burden of taxation are rights regarded as important in assisting the farmer and all industry more profitable. But these savings are small in comparison to the millions of dollars that would be left in the pockets of Western farmers through a vigorous, persistent, successful fight all along the line against noxious weeds.

The whole country gets stirred up in an election campaign where tax reduction policies are an issue. Farmers unite and organize to place candidates in the field pledged to tariff reductions, reduced freight rates, Rural Credits, and other measures calculated to advance their interests, and prosperity. But all too many who wage battle for these better gains appear quite indifferent to the weed menace and its resultant heavy losses to themselves and the country at large. Many farmers who are enthusiastic and energetic in their fight for those things which they can only obtain in co-operation with the other Provinces of Canada, yet display the most astounding apathy in dealing with a problem which is all their own, and the solution of which rests solely with themselves, working in co-operation with their next door neighbors.

The Saskatchewan Weed Bulletin just issued contains valuable information and guidance for farmers in dealing with their weed problem. It is written in clearly understandable, non-technical language, and every Saskatchewan farmer who has a weed problem on his lands should send it to the Department of Agriculture, Regina, for a copy of this Bulletin, while farmers in Manitoba and Alberta should likewise communicate with their Provincial Departments of Agriculture for similar literature.

The Saskatchewan Weed Bulletin states that the greatest source of the weed trouble is found in dirty seed, and it has been proven that quite a large number of farmers who cultivate their soil carelessly to destroy weed seeds already existing in the seed, and actually sowing the same plant chemicals to the soil that will weed seeds contained in their seed grain, thus rendering all their labor and labor for naught, perpetuating the problem, and losing up the loss.

Co-operation amongst Western farmers is accomplishing great things for them and for Canada, and co-operation is capable of achieving even greater things in the years to come. Possibly in no one way can we more be accomplished than by each individual farmer enlisting in the war on weeds, and waging it aggressively in season and on his own land, and in co-operation with his neighbors and municipal officials throughout the whole district in which he resides.

Unlike other wars, which always end in losses for both victor and vanquished, a successful war on weeds means great gains and large profits throughout the years to come. Let's fight!

His Lucky Number

Friday, the 13th, holds no terrors for Toronto's Fisher, Strindberg, Oloffe, who celebrated his 12th birthday, Friday, August 13. He was born at 6:15 a.m. Friday, August 13, 1912, and among other distinctions wears a number 13 shirt, a number 13 collar, and is one of 13 grandchildren. He has a reputation for being "lucky."

War Graves in Canada

There are graves in Canada of extending for a further period of three years the authority under which headstones are erected on graves in Canada of members of the royal and military forces whose deaths are attributable to the war. Such authority would have expired at the end of the present month, but the order-in-council will continue in effect until Aug. 31, 1925.

There are reviews and reviews in Yellowstone Park that give off gases (acid to birds and small animals). It's easy to talk philosophy if the other fellow is paying the freight.



CHILDREN CRY FOR

Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHERS—Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil. Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrup, especially prepared for infants in arms and children's ailments.

Proven imitations always look for the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher. Beware of cheap imitations. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

Scale For Weighing Signatures

Makes Calculation Within Hundredth Part Of A Grain

Among the articles shown at the exhibition of the Incorporated Society of Inspectors of Weights and Measures at the Central Hall, Westminster, England, is a pair of scales capable of weighing a person's signature. The method adopted is simple, the paper being weighed before and after the writing of the signature.

The difference involves a calculation which is so infinitesimal that it has to be calculated by means of a mirror and shadowgraph.

There is no average weight for a signature, but in the main everything depends upon the quality of the paper used or the degree of softness of the pencil.

Another factor is the temper of the writer, for a man in a temper writes more heavily than a man in a state of mildness.

Wheezy Chest Colds Subdued Over Night

Trained Nurse Tells How Colds Are Quickly Broken Up

NERVINE

A Home Necessity

Speaking of valuable home remedies that every mother should always have on hand, Nurse Carrington says: "I haven't met any preparation more dependable than 'Nervine.' It is the best remedy I know of for all the ailments which in a short time, such as colds, coughs, pain in the side, stiff neck, headache, and all other ailments, are made 'Nervine' invaluable. In treating the minor ills that arise in every household, it is more efficient than any other remedy. For nearly fifty years Nervine has been a household article in thousands of homes. Get a 35c. bottle to-day."

Wheezy Laundry At Southampton

Where Washing Is Done For Three Ocean Areas

Three and a half million pieces of linen passed by the White Star Laundry at Southampton every year, where the washing is done for the Majestic, the Olympic and the Homeric. Repairs necessary are carried out in the sewing room by means of electrically-driven sewing and darning machines; they tackle nearly two hundred thousand jobs per annum.

THE GROWING GIRL

Requires a Mother's Constant Care and Watchfulness

In their early teens it is quite common for girls to outgrow their strength, and many of them grow up with the health of their daughters. It is a sad sight to see a girl who is supposed to be so rapid growth that anemia develops. The first signs may be a pale complexion, a weak and headache. The face grows thin and the hair falls out. It follows, with low spirits.

At the first symptom of anemia, mothers should at once suspect anemia often leads to disease, but if you see these danger signs, the blood is enriched there need be no cause for alarm. The first sign of anemia is a pale complexion. The face grows thin and the hair falls out. It follows, with low spirits.

You can get this pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

England's Oldest Living Barrister

Sir Harry Poland Has Celebrated Ninety-seventh Birthday

Sir Harry Poland, England's oldest living barrister, has celebrated his 97th birthday. He received many congratulatory messages, but was too unwell to be seen by any but a few friends.

It is 15 years since Sir Harry was admitted a member of the Inner Temple, being called a few months after the late Lord Halsbury, who died at the age of 92.

Sir Harry became famous largely for his conduct as crown prosecutor of many notorious murder cases. He became known as "the sleuth-bond of the treasury," being a great authority on the Housing laws and the taxation of land.

Sir Harry remembers the funeral of the Duke of Wellington and the holding of the Nelson statue to the top of the column in Trafalgar Square.

The man who tells these stories usually manages to finish them in spite of interruptions.

Rub your scalp with Minard's Liniment.

COULD NOT SLEEP OR REST

Eczema Formed Watery Pimples, Face Disfigured, Cuticura Healed.

"Eczema broke out on my sister's chin. It started with an itching and burning and later formed small, watery pimples that turned to more eruptions. She could not sleep or rest, and her face was disfigured."

"I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a few samples. After using a box of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment, which I bought at the drug store, I was cured. (Signed) Miss Muriel Jensen, Hamilton, Ont., Nova Scotia."

Keep your skin clear and your pores active by daily use of Cuticura Soap. Head irritations and rashes with Cuticura Ointment. Send for a free sample. Write to: Cuticura, Dept. 10, P.O. Box 10, Lowell, Mass., U.S.A. (Signed) Miss Muriel Jensen, Hamilton, Ont., Nova Scotia.

The Fine Art Of Carving

Lucky Is The Man Who Has Mastered All Its Details

Carving is the art that takes a man a lifetime to master. However that may be, there are good and bad carvers, and one is never so good as that which may be some new trick in carving a roast or fowl. There has recently been published a valuable and most entertaining little booklet, entitled "The Fine Art of Carving," which deals with this subject.

In addition to giving details regarding the various methods to be used in carving roasts, joints, fish and fowl, there are also valuable hints for the housewife on how to properly prepare a roast of meat or any kind. There is also good advice on how to reduce your meat bill, and how to roast meat without loss of shape, and a great deal of other valuable information. Copies of this booklet may be obtained free of charge by any Canadian householder. Our readers would be well advised to write to the Sheet Metal Products Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto, or to branch offices at Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton or Vancouver, and obtain this valuable booklet, "The Fine Art of Carving," which will be mailed absolutely free of charge.

Minard's Liniment for bruises

World's Poultry Congress

Lord Willington Will Be the Chief Patron of the Gathering

The governor-general, Lord Willington, has expressed to the president of the World's Poultry Congress, Mr. Edward Brown, his very keen interest in the congress. On assuming office Lord Willington will become chief patron of the congress and will welcome the international delegates when they assemble at Ottawa, July 27, 1922.

Canada's part in the World's Poultry Congress exhibition is an important one. It will comprise a national exhibition exhibit depicting the national poultry policy; a national live exhibit; provincial exhibits and commercial exhibits. The staging of these will be in the hands of the Canadian exhibition commissioner.

New buildings now in course of construction on the grounds of the Central Canada Exhibition, will be available for the congress. This will be the largest exhibition ever staged devoted entirely to one phase of livestock, the large exhibiting nearly 250,000 square feet of floor space.

Integrity and Externality It Is Good

"The crowning property of Dr. Thompson's Kidney Pills is that it can be used internally for many complaints as well as externally. It is a sure cure for rheumatism, pain in the chest, cold, and many other ailments. It is a sure cure for all ailments. A bottle of it costs 15 cents and there is no loss in always having it at hand."

Employer: Sam, I hear you and George almost had a fight.

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Stabilization of Rural Land Values

By C. W. Peterson

No public issue has been the victim of more platitudes than that of immigration on platform and in press. In Canada there seems to be no inordinant public opinion on the question.

Our economic groups are consequently hopelessly divided on the issue. Added population merely adds further unemployment, labor group and increased competition to the farmer. Hence, we frequently find our great rural organizations uniformly and even officially antagonistic towards any effort to augment Canada's population.

Public Apathy

An intelligent study of the population question leaves one in no doubt that lasting agricultural prosperity is not possible without the steady, progressive colonization and development of our extensive vacant areas by real agricultural settlers.

The realization of such a programme would, however, involve a constructive and forward-looking colonization effort of a magnitude no government could safely contemplate today, in view of the political situation.

One of the greatest advantages of Canadian public opinion on the subject. The superstitious confidence Canada at this moment, therefore, would appear to be to continue her own citizens of the wisdom of regarding the population question as the corner stone of all public policies, indeed, it is.

Agricultural Unrest

We have for almost a decade been confronted with the demoralizing work of steadily receding rural land values all through Canada. This was the outcome of a combination of circumstances, but has been chiefly due to the cessation of immigration, coupled with the modern spectacular drift to the cities. Land values to date, and over three times as many as compared to peaches (32,000). Plums and cherries come next in popularity with 60,000 and 20,000 acres respectively.

For COLIC AND CRAMPS

PAINS IN THE STOMACH

There's Nothing Equals

It has been in use for over 80 years; its action is pleasant, rapid, reliable and effective, and relieves even the most obstinate cases.

The genuine is put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Restoring Agricultural Confidence

There is today a vast area of vacant lands on the market in the prairie section of Canada and improved farms are being sold at bargain prices. Comparatively at bargain prices. The demand for such properties absorbed perceptibly with the drying up of the stimulus flow of immigration some years ago. The settlement of the province of Ontario dates back as far as that of the Middle West of the United States. Yet land values in Iowa, Illinois and elsewhere are twice and three times as great as in Western Canada. Why? The Canadian farmer must be keenly interested in regaining a normal market for rural properties. A comparatively limited demand for land would quickly be reflected in strengthened values all round and the moral effect would be incalculable.

Land represents the principal asset of the farmer. Stable land values lie at the foundation of rural credit in practically all its forms. When land values become demoralized, the whole agricultural credit structure is undermined. Credit of all sorts is curtailed and business is advanced. In fact, it may be laid down as an economic axiom, that the possibilities of agriculture and a contented rural population are not without bearing upon the stability of the country as an economic asset. The demoralizing effect in itself upon the farmer of the progressive shrinkage of his capital asset is bound to exercise a most unfortunate influence upon his mind and actions.

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Pears Most Popular Fruit

Statistics Show People Prefer Them to Apples or Peaches

It may surprise many to learn that pears are the most popular of the fruits put up by Canadian canning companies, according to the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior. Latest statistics show that over twice as many cans of pears (200,000) are marketed as compared to apples (135,000) and over three times as many as compared to peaches (62,000). Plums and cherries come next in popularity with 60,000 and 20,000 cans respectively.

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Important Part To Be Played By Canada Following The Rapid Increase In Population

The population of the world is increasing at the rate of 50,000 a day according to an article by Prof. E. H. Murray East, of Harvard University, published in a recent number of "Current History". Prof. East says that, taking the world over, there are on the average 150,000 births and 100,000 deaths a day, making a net daily gain of 50,000. Prof. East places the present population of the world at 1,450 millions, and says it has more than doubled since the beginning of the nineteenth century.

Statistics are assembled to show that as population in any country reaches a certain density the rate of increase falls off, until it becomes practically stationary. This has already happened in China, and has almost come about in India. Prof. East quotes authorities to the effect that the population of the United States will become stationary at about 200,000,000 and that this figure will be reached in the present century.

An important factor in the population development of the North American continent is Canada, which occupies an area greater than that of the United States, and has a population of about 9,000,000 inhabitants. Prof. East thinks that population in Canada is increasing rapidly, the birth rate being more than double the death rate. The death rate in Canada is 11.3 per thousand compared with 11.9 in the United States, and the birth rate in Canada is 24.7 per thousand compared with 22.5 in the United States. Prof. East's calculations do not include the effect of immigration, and population. This has been a big factor in the United States in the past, and promises to be equally important in Canada in the near future. The constantly increasing demand for food and Canada, with only one of its arable areas as yet under cultivation, is destined to play a large part in supplying that demand.

Immigrants From Norway

Farm Laborers Will Come to Settlement on Western Lands.

Division of the affairs of immigrant farm labor from the United States to Saskatchewan and Alberta will be recommended to the secretary of the International League of Norwegians, for that class of immigrant labor from Norway. Mr. Kjel, who is on his way back to Norway after a tour of investigation of possibilities for his countrymen in Saskatchewan and Alberta, said the surplus population of Norway, especially surplus farm labor, must find an outlet. He said that the Canadian people offered good possibilities for those who wished to settle down to a life of farming.

Representing the government of Norway and Sweden, a delegation reached Vancouver recently to investigate conditions of land settlement for immigrants, prior to the selection of employment, cooperative marketing of grain, and the Canadian system of soldier re-education. As a result of these investigations it is possible that there will be a settlement in Western Canada of 12,000 Norwegians per year in the future. The party is in charge of P. Myrland, representative of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Oslo, Norway.

Dispense Old Saying

As Such Things As Wet and Dry Moors

Says Weather Bureau. The moon has nothing to do with rainfall, and there is no such thing as a wet and dry moon. The weather bureau declares. Recent investigations have disproved the old saying that the moon has something to do with the weather. As much as the moon is supposed to do, it is not so much as the weather bureau says. According to this saying, the weather should be always dry, whereas the region is notorious for heavy rains.

Renting a House in Japan

How they do it there is told in the following advertisement. "To Let—Desirable two-story, best house with bathroom. Rent ¥5, with deposit of 2 months' rent, returnable upon termination of tenancy. Two floors, 2 rooms, 11 and 6 mats respectively. 2 rooms, 2 and 4 mats. Telephone No. 3167."

Noting that a good deal of attention is being paid to the statement that when Prince of Wales was at Oxford he was found to stand examination, we feel sure you will be glad to mark that he was always a lucky chap.

Many Countries Buy Products

Producers of Dairy Products

Canadian dairy products like Canadian wheat, and produce from the farms of the Dominion, are being purchased in increasing quantities by the households of the United States and other countries of the world, according to a recent statement issued by the Canadian Government. The principal purchasers of dairy products from Canada by American buyers are in the form of cream and milk, the latter comprising almost 90 per cent of the total. The value of the dairy products of Canada now has a total value of \$141,125,000, an increase of over \$20,000,000 in five years.

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Immigration to Canada

Almost Double the Number of People Entering Canada Compared to Last Year

Immigration to Canada in the first six months of 1925 totaled 70,252 compared with 32,241 in the same period a year ago, an increase of 62 per cent, according to a statement by the Canadian Government department of immigration and colonization. In this period under review British immigrants increased from 20,425 to 27,849; French from the United States increased from 8,026 to 10,037 and from other countries increased from 14,753 to 22,367. Immigration for the month of June amounted to 12,191, an increase of 50 per cent over June a year ago. British immigration for the same month increased from 3,201 to 2,172; and other immigration from 2,007 to 4,074.

Prefers British Goods

Three British motor buses will be purchased by the Pretoria, South Africa, Town Council, although they will cost £200 each more than the American vehicle. The chairman of the council committee stated that they had no hesitation in purchasing the British article, even though it cost more, if it had a longer life and suited the purposes of the council better.

Eighteen distinct districts are spoken in the Philippine Islands. English is now the dominant language, having supplanted Spanish.

Cleaning the Milking Machine

Machine Should Be Thoroughly Cleaned Directly After Milking

The principal necessity of milking is cleanliness. Mr. A. C. Lockhead, Dalmatian bacteriologist, writing on the subject of the milking machine, points out that the sooner the cleaning of the machine is commenced after milking the more efficient it will be. Directly the cow is fastened with the cups being lifted up and down to allow air as well as water to pass through. The cups and tubes should next be treated with hot water to which has been added a dairy cleaning powder. This can be done, says the bacteriologist, in the regular number of Seasonable Hints, with the action on as before, or by removing from the machine and cleaning in a sink or suitable basin. It is necessary to clean the passages. Clean hot water should be used for the final rinse. The machine should be thoroughly flushed. Where there is danger of water getting into the air passages a wooden plug should be put in the open end after removal from the machine. Once a week the test-cups and tubes should be taken completely apart and thoroughly brushed with a cleaning powder being used, and reassembled when dry.

Insurance Against T.B. Test

Satisfactory Scheme Has Been Tried in Wisconsin

In a few districts in Wisconsin a satisfactory arrangement has been worked out to cover the loss from cattle which react to the tuberculin test. The proposition has been arranged through the co-operative creameries. Men who have not tested their cattle put \$1.00 per head into a fund. This is used to pay owners of cattle the difference between their appraised value and the total which is received by the owner from salvage and indemnities. If this amount is not sufficient to cover the entire loss the money is prorated. If any money remains after all the losses are paid it is prorated back to the men who contributed.

Stubble Treatment

Best Results Obtained After Burning Stubble in the Spring

An experiment to determine the best method of treating the stubble in preparation for wheat or oats at the Scott, Sask., Dominion experimental station showed that the highest average yield of wheat had been obtained from seeding after burning the stubble in spring and the second highest yield after spring ploughing. The ten-year average figures showed a difference of 27 bushels per acre in favor of spring ploughing as compared with fall ploughing. General results indicate that any operation that destroys the stubble in the fall, so that there is no winter weathering, has resulted in a reduction of yield. Figures for 1925 given in the superintendent's report for that year show that deep fall cultivation is giving a higher yield than shallow fall cultivation. Stubble in without any cultivation has given the lowest yield of all the treatment under test.

In comparing fall and spring ploughing for oats the eleven-year average yield shows a difference of 8.5 bushels in favor of the spring ploughing.

Want New Tariff

Claiming that Under the present tariff, elevators in Vancouver cannot obtain sufficient revenue to operate successfully, and that the present tariff retards development of grain handling facilities of the port, the private elevators at Vancouver have applied to the Grain Board of Canada for a new tariff, similar in almost every respect to that in force at the head of the lake.

One solution sees two fat people making a bet on the day of the underdog, because usually one of the pair gets fat by being cheerful and the other gets thin doing all the fat man's share of his wife's worrying.

Breathing Essential To Fruit

Just As Important As It Is To Human Beings

A unique hospital for vegetable disease research has just been opened at Covent Garden, London, in connection with the Cambridge Low Temperature Research Section.

Here a fruit "doctor" diagnoses the troubles of English and imported produce. So successful have these experiments been that many diseases, including the "brown heart" in apples, have been completely overcome.

In one part of the laboratory, "breathing" tests are carried out to ascertain the vitality of certain kinds of fruits.

"Breathing" is just as important to a banana, pear, or a plum as it is to a human being, and when a fruit ceases to breathe it "dies" and goes bad.

Among the "residents" at the Cambridge Low Temperature Research Station are cauliflower, which are as fresh as when picked two days ago; pears stored last September, which look as healthy as if they had been picked yesterday, and apples which ripened over two years ago, but have not lost one iota of their flavor.

Strawberries In Saskatchewan

New Growth in Commercial Quantity in Northern Part of Province

Strawberry growing in commercial quantities north of latitude 53, is the second important feature of the Northwest Territories. This plant has been successfully grown for the past 12 years, but owing to lack of transportation facilities until the autumn of 1924, when the Tatum-Pacific Albert extension of the Canadian Pacific Railway was completed, it did not become a commercial industry. In 1925 several thousand 24-quart cases were shipped, some of them finding their way as far as Winnipeg and Regina. This year the production is expected to be nearly double that of last season.

Important Discovery In B.C.

Valuable Earth Deposits Can Be Used For Commercial Purposes

British Columbia is destined to be one of the largest chemical producing countries in the world, according to R. W. A. Laming, technologist, of Rotterdam, Holland, who is in this province to investigate the diamondose earths at Quana. Mr. Laming is well satisfied not only with the size of the deposits but with the grade and as there is only a few feet of overburden above the deposit, digging will be comparatively easy. The earth is used for paper making, in plaster, denture purposes, and products.

The American people spend \$2,000,000,000 a year, or about six per cent of the national income, for vice (Ras).

Could Increase Wheat Yield From Ten To Forty Per Cent. Without Increasing Acreage

New Township Development Plans

Issued For Area Covered By Vermilion Sheet in Alberta

In connection with the land classification surveys recently carried on in the Vermilion Sheet area, the department of the interior, over the area covered by the Vermilion sheet of the sectional map of Canada, in the province of Alberta, comprising townships 49 to 56, ranges 1 to 14, inclusive, west of the fourth meridian, has just been issued a series of township development plans.

These township development plans are published on the scale of one inch to thirty chains and show in detail the classification of lands for the individual townships. They are not intended to take the place of the regular subdivision township plans on which bearings and lengths of legal boundaries are shown, but are rather intended to present in a simple manner information regarding the nature of the ground surface and the cultural development of the township. These maps show the use of suitable colors and symbols also for each quarter section those lands that are cultivated, or nearly open, and those that require clearing, whether light, medium or heavy, and those that are in a state of marsh, swamp, or muskeg.

They show also the main topographical features in each township, those of nature comprising lakes, rivers, streams, etc., and those resulting from the development of the country such as railways, roads, bridges, churches, schools, buildings and telegraph and telephone lines. Below the maps there is a small diagram of the township showing the main soil types and a legend to assist in a ready understanding of the symbols used, and then a table of the township area, and a table of the township area, and a table of the township area.

On the reverse side of the map a printed report deals with information of interest respecting towns, post offices, schools, roads, surface water, soil, settlement, crops, stock and feed, fuel, water, etc. The maps have been prepared with the object in view of placing this valuable and useful information at the disposal of the public, particularly those interested in the settlement or economic development of the district. Copies may be obtained from the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or from the local office of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa for a nominal price of fifty cents per copy.

Controlling the Red-Backed Cutworm

Feison Bait The Best Method to Combat This Pest in Field and Garden

For the poisoned bait to combat the red-backed cutworm in the provinces, Mr. Kenneth M. King, of the entomological branch at Ottawa, recommends for field quantities a mixture consisting of 100 pounds of bran, four pounds of white arsenic finely ground (or 2 pounds of Paris green), one gallon of kerosene, and one gallon of blackstrap, and 7 to 8 gallons of water. For garden quantities he suggests a mixture of one quart bran, one teaspoonful of white arsenic, finely ground, one tablespoon of cheap case molasses with sufficient water to moisten.

The dry bran and arsenic should be thoroughly mixed together and the operator should keep nose and mouth covered with a damp cloth. The molasses should then be dissolved in the water and the mixture slowly stirred into the poisoned bran and molasses, thoroughly moistened and free from lumps. Mr. King in his pamphlet on the red-backed cutworm, which is numbered 69 and can be had without cost on addressing the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, emphasizes this point. Bags of poisoned bran should be kept out of reach of stock and children and empty bags that have been used for the bait should not again be used but immediately burnt. If mixing machines, such as were used in the past, are used, the operator should use large tubs or a concrete floor will serve for preparing the bait.

Tons of Sugar and Salt Used

In the preserving of Canadian vegetables for commercial sale, nearly 400 tons of sugar and salt were used in 1924. The sugar was used in the form of sugar preserving nearly 2,000 tons of sugar. This is in addition to the vast quantities used in the old-fashioned way on the kitchen range, says the Natural Resources Service of the Department of the Interior.

Isn't it queer how people who are not capable of giving advice to themselves seem to know the proper thing for you to do?

Agriculture throughout the Dominion

seems to be far more secure now than for several years past. As a whole, it embraces one-third of the national wealth. So declared F. S. Archibald, director of Dominion experimental farms in an address at Ottawa. Mr. Archibald indicated a number of ways in which experiments are being made at the experimental farms, in an interesting talk on the future of agriculture in Canada.

"It is quite possible," he said, "that within no more acreage than the present 22,000,000 under wheat cultivation in Canada an increase of ten to forty per cent in production may be secured."

With an increase of five bushels to the acre the enormous addition of 100,000,000 dollars might be made to the national revenue, he said.

Interesting Work With Trees

Clever Englishman Trains Them in Many Animal Shapes

For thirty years Mr. Cutbush, of Old Barnet, has been trying to make a dragon. He has made dogs, cocks and hens, birds, today hares, storks and peacocks, and is very proud of his handiwork, but his greatest desire is to make a dragon, a British lion and a unicorn. The material of Mr. Cutbush's art is not clay nor marble, but trees. His art, known as topiary, consists in training trees and ever trees into the shapes he wants them.

They take years of care and patience, but Mr. Cutbush has taken his fifteen years to grow one animal to perfection. The earliest ones take five years to grow, and the latest ones take at least ten. Many of them take longer to bring up and launch into the world than children, but before any attempt is made to train the tree into shape it must be from eight to twenty years old.

It is grown bigger than it will require to be when finished, and the branches are allowed to grow very freely. Then they are tied to wires and shaped into the shape of the animal, as he is, as nearly as possible. For a season they are left alone, and then the beginning of the next season they are clipped.

Years are needed for the branches to fill out and become thick with more little branches and leaves. These are kept clipped, and every three years the growing animal is transplanted. When it is fully grown and a solid mass of green leaves it is carried away and starts its growth up life again. Mr. Cutbush feels more early about his dragon and his British lion. "It is so much more difficult to grow," he says, "but it is impossible to get the lion, and if I grow a lion, he just looks like a dog."

Apple Shipments From B.C.

Ontario and Quebec Took Large Quantities From Okanagan

Export shipments of apples from the Okanagan Valley, British Columbia for the past season, included the following: 8 cars to Scandinavia, 8 cars to China, 29 cars to Germany, 4 cars to Newfoundland, 18 cars to South Africa, 12 cars to New Zealand, 25 cars to the United States and 405 cars to Great Britain. In addition, 103 cars were shipped to Ontario and Quebec, which are often considered as export markets. Distance is apparently no handicap when high-class products are for sale.

Eleven Hundred Farms

Eleven hundred farms will be required to produce the food for the British settlers who will be brought to Western Canada, according to Major E. J. Johnston, commissioner of the settlement, in a report to the board. So far this year 1,420 families were placed on farms in the prairie provinces by this organization.

Swiss Loan For France

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Pool Elevators At Coast

In view of its increasing activities in the wheat trade, the Pool Elevators of the Prince Rupert terminal elevator, the Alberta Pool has obtained incorporation under the laws of British Columbia.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Prince Alexandre Murat, who was a descendant of General Joseph Murat and Caroline, sister of Napoleon I, died recently in Paris.

A total of 480 Swiss have settled in Western Canada this year, and next year an even greater influx of Swiss agriculturists may be expected, an Immigration official stated.

M. Clemenceau, France's war premier, will likely write another paper later on the subject of debt following up that addressed to President on August 5 last. This was announced simultaneously.

Drilling in Erickson Coulee, near Coutis, Alberta, on the International border between Montana and Alberta, the Imperial Oil Company has struck a flow of gas to the extent of 10,000, 600 cubic feet daily.

Without Germany, the League of Nations must die, according to the opinion of Dr. M. J. Bonn, professor of political economy in the College of Commerce, Berlin, and an internationally known economist.

The decision of the air disarmament committee that the commercial aircraft would be demilitarized as a condition of the military air forces of nations, was reversed by a vote of 7 to 5 by the members of the League of Nations disarmament conference.

Unknown in the annals of Canadian mountain climbing is the feat of two children of Vaux de Celles, who, taking advantage of the favorable conditions that prevail this year, climbed Mount Edith Cavell, one of the highest peaks in the Canadian Rockies.

M. Paul Painlevé, minister of war, has authorized the commander of the British and Irish (Dix de Calais), Corneille, Quenel, Sauter (Sonne) to erect in their territory monuments in memory of Canadian soldiers who fought in France during the great war.

Senator William Marconi, of Italy, inventor of wireless, has announced the perfection of a wireless loud speaker which can be heard for ten miles. It is the invention of a member of the staff of the Marconi Company, and Marconi says it has already been tried out at Cortes with success.

Tariff Board Applications

Requests For Increases and Decreases in the Tariff

To date a score of applications have been placed before the advisory board on tariff and taxation in request for increases or decreases in the customs tariff on various commodities.

The applications include requests for an investigation into customs duties on iron and steel, submitted by the Aluminum Steel Corporation and the British Empire Steel Corporation and into customs duties on foreign magazines, the request being made by the Magazine Publishers' Association, request of preferential tariffs in general by Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

Price, Patterson, Vancouver, ask for an investigation into customs duties on wool "tops," and the British Columbia Sheep Rearing Company, Vancouver, submit a request for lighter duties on corn and cane syrup.

A woman invalid in Western Canada asks for a review of customs duties on silver chairs.

On Visit Of Inspection

Hon. Lady Cecil visiting Western Canada in Connection With Immigration of British Women

Hon. Lady Cecil, vice-chairman of the Overseas Settlement for British Women, is visiting the homes of British women who have recently established themselves in Western Canada. She is much pleased with what she has seen and entertains high hopes for increased immigration of a good class of women. After completing her investigations in Canada, Lady Cecil will visit New Zealand on a similar mission.

If all of London's refuse were formed in modern destructions, it is estimated that electricity worth more than 210,000,000 could be produced annually.

The rhinoceros against the motor car, battling her way are three to one, officials of the United States Biological Survey declare.

A remarkable case, also, involving the 26th article of the constitution, 66, indicates may be applied to the name of the article devoted.

Mount Zion, the famous volcano, is densely populated, each of its 800 square miles of inhabitable space containing 300 persons.

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Sir Gilbert Parker And the French-Canadians

Noted Writer and Parliamentary Talks of Friendship With Sir Wilfrid Laurier

The Right Honorable Sir Gilbert Parker, who at present is making one of his frequent visits to his native land, made his only public appearance on this trip at Muskoka Assembly, the Canadian Chautauque, recently. A large audience gathered from various points on the lakes and listened to a delightful series of personal reminiscences which he gathered under the title, "Forty-one Years After."

His address dealt largely with public men with whom he had been brought into contact. Speaking of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the French-Canadians, he said:

"It is a good thing to have long enough to prove that apart from literature, one loves one's country, is a patriot, and has no fear. I remember a speech I delivered in Toronto well over twenty years ago at my own invitation. I had just come home from Quebec and I said then, what I repeat now, that while the French-Canadians did not share sympathetically in our imperial commitments and responsibilities, he was loyal to the soil as any U. E. Loyalist in 1812 U. E. Loyalist since then."

He got twice since 1870 the French-Canadians have saved Canada for the British flag. It must not be forgotten that the second most popular prime minister Canada ever had, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, was a French Canadian. He should have been opposed to Sir Wilfrid Laurier politically, but we were close and intimate friends, stayed with him in his house six times. I crossed the continent with him once, and what was the basis of our friendship?"

He believed that I put the French-Canadian in his true light before the world. I attacked him in 1913 in the British House of Commons, over the railway proposal with the United States. I said I believed he would be driven from power, and that he would never be the prime minister of Canada again. I said to myself: "That ends me with Laurier." It didn't. When he heard I was coming to Canada again, he cabled me and asked me to stay with him, which I did."

Honor Portuguese Explorer
Compatriots in India Erect Memorial to Vasco da Gama
Portuguese citizens of India have honored the memory of their great commander, Vasco da Gama by the erection of a monument in Nova Goa, or Panaji, as it is often called.

Vasco da Gama was born in 1469 and died in 1524, after a stirring and adventurous career. His admirers in India have honored him chiefly on account of the fact that it was he who opened up the way to India, thus achieving one of the most important works in the history of civilization, hence all the world should take a share in his wonderful career.

But the Portuguese of India naturally feel he was a great hero, and they have expressed their hero worship by erecting a memorial to him.

Witchcraft Is Still Practiced in Europe

But Only Form That Has Survived Is Harmless

A witchcraft case in Staffordshire, England recalls the fact that witchcraft still lingers in all parts of Europe. The British penal laws were repealed in 1736, but there have been cases within the last 20 or 40 years, especially in the Highlands, in which there have been reports of witchcraft. It was estimated that between 1814 and 1852 no fewer than 200,000 signed affidavits as to death in Europe, but there have been cases in which "witches" have been lynched much more recently. The modern form of witchcraft to survive is that in connection with the making of a wax image of the person to be bewitched, she being used instead of wax in the Highlands.

Not Worth It

Doctor: Your husband's not so well today, Mrs. Maloney. Has he been sticking to the diet I prescribed for him?

Mrs. Maloney: And that he has not, doctor. "Tie he that says he'll not be swayed by himself in death to live a few years longer."

The kind of mother who used to say that her 12-year-old daughter was 6, so that she could travel half-price, now says she is 18, so that she can drive the car.

Married women and spinners will soon be indulging in the same kind of talk in Denmark, as both will be addressed by the single prefix "Mrs."

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Canadian Pacific Express Company

Domestic Express Company Now No Longer Known By That Name

After forty-four years of operation during which it has grown up with the country and contributed in no small way to Canadian development, the Dominion Express Company will no longer be known by that name. After September first, that great transportation agency will be known as the Canadian Pacific Express Company. In all parts of Canada and the United States and throughout the entire trans-continental system, the many hundreds of branch offices will be changed, and thus will be forged a still closer link with the great parent company whose railroad, steamships and hotels are known around the round.

To mark the change of name the company has issued an attractive little booklet giving a short history of its career and a synopsis of its present widespread activities. The Dominion Express Company was incorporated in 1872, but it was in 1882 that Mr. Van Horne, then president of the C.P.R., took it over as an operating part of the Canadian Pacific Railway. It is G. A. Kirkpatrick, later Sir George Kirkpatrick, L.G.O. of Ontario, was its president, and Mr. W. S. Stout, a young but successfully experienced express man became its superintendent. Mr. Stout is today president and has for many years guided its fortunes in that capacity.

For some years he and his assistants have had a hard and uphill fight. They not only moved traffic, but helped create it by finding Canadian and foreign markets for Canadian products, and by scientific rate making, encouraging the farmer, fruit grower and others whose markets were far away. The growth of the company over these many years is an interesting story and it is an important chapter in the commercial history of this country and its present position which it is daily enriched with hundreds of millions of dollars in goods and treasures by the post, express, mail, and the government is a matter for justifiable pride. The booklet is handsomely illustrated and is being widely distributed wherever the company operates.

Boy Climbs Highest Mountain

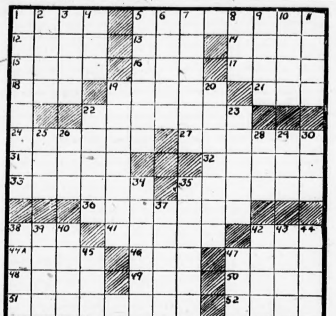
Six-Year-Old Lancashire Boy Accomplishes Feat

The youngest to climb Mount Sewall, the highest mountain in England, is a Lancashire boy of six. This feat was accomplished with his grandfather, who is 68 years of age, his father and his uncle. On the way up the boy met the Rev. Dr. G. H. G. who was taking a party up to the top of Sewall Pike. Learning that the youngster was not going to be carried any part of the way, he said that he would give him a shilling if he was at the top by half-past two. The boy was the first of his party to reach the top, arriving there at 1.55.

Edmonton Fur Market
Edmonton took a long step forward in the establishment of a fur market for the Northwest Territories and the Mackenzie River Basin, when pelts valued at \$125,000 were sold by auction recently. Pure were sold to a number of well-known firms in New York, Montreal, Winnipeg and other cities.

An aerial torpedo carrying 1,500 pounds of TNT and travelling at a speed of 200 miles an hour has been developed by the United States Army. Fired from an aeroplane it can kill a target 20 miles away.

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New Acreage Signed to Wheat Pool

Over Five Hundred Saskatchewan Farmers Join in One West

A remarkable commentary on the recent anti-pool propaganda is presented in the following new acreage signed to the pool for the week ending August 24th.

Aug. 24th, 1915: 25,222 acres; 26th, 9,400 acres; 27th, 10,007 acres; 28th, 7,242 acres; 29th, 7,600 acres; 30th, 10,253 acres.

During the period shown, over 500 Saskatchewan farmers decided in favor of "The Pool Way," covering 55,567 acres of wheat.

Approximately 6,000 additional acres of coarse grains also came over to orderly marketing union.

Foods Held in Storage

Huge Amount Is Kept On Hand in Canada

It may surprise the average person to learn of the huge amounts of food it is necessary to hold in storage to meet the normal demands of trade, says the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior. From the average in Canada amount to about three pounds to every man, woman and child in the country; butter and cheese, total about two pounds per capita, while the amount of fish in storage is nearly one and one-third pounds per head.

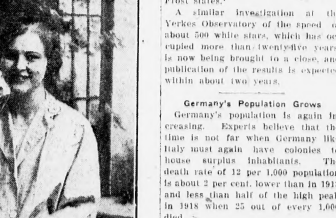
Rich relatives are of little use to a poor man except to pass as something which he can put up with.

The salmon pack of British Columbia for the season of 1915 amounted to nearly 2,000,000 cases.

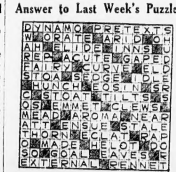
Manitoba Girls at Toronto Exhibition

Manitoba Girls' Demonstration Team, selected to represent their province at the Toronto Exhibition, are giving a series of musical entertainments of practical nursing lectures on the subject of "The Girl's Own Paper."

They travelled to Toronto by Canadian Pacific lines, and in addition, enjoyed a splendid rail tour of the Great Lakes. From left to right: Mrs. W. H. Beachell, instructor; Miss Marie Wheeler, Miss Pearl Mulligan and Miss Frances Stevens.



Postmarks date back over two centuries. The first provincial specimen is from "Warrior," on a letter dated 1702, long before a Brevier stamp came into use.



Scientist Makes New Discovery

Helium Stars Travel in Pairs and Move Lustrously

Helium stars travel the heavenly way in pairs and, though they are youths as the life of a star goes, they apparently are not members of the celestial "faster set," according to one of the conclusions arrived at as a result of "twenty-five years" study just completed at the Yerkes Observatory of the University of Chicago at Williams Bay, Wis., by Dr. Edwin H. Frost and his associates.

The helium stars, which number 25, move about alone at the rate of only one mile a second in many cases, only a small fraction of the average speed of the yellow stars. The helium stars, aside from being colored red and blue, are among the hottest of the stellar family and are giants in size.

Helium was first discovered in the sun's spectra in 1868, and on the earth in 1895. Dr. Frost explains, and in 1901, when it was being first observed in the light of the stars, it appeared to him important that the speed of these stars should be measured, and the task was begun. Its completion is marked with the publication of the results compiled by Dr. Frost, Stuart B. Barrett and Otto Struve in the July number of the Astrophysical Journal.

This research has brought out the interest of the public in many other cases of these stars has a close companion—not a planet, but a companion star—sometimes only slightly brighter than the star we see," Dr. Frost states.

A similar investigation at the Yerkes Observatory of the speed of about 500 white stars, which has occupied more than twenty years, is now being brought to a close, and publication of the results is expected within about two years.

Germany's Population Grows
Germany's population is again increasing. Experts believe that the rate of increase is faster than in Italy, most of the world's nations. The death rate of 12 per 1,000 population is about 1 per cent of the rate in 1912 and less than half of the high peak in 1918 when 25 out of every 1,000 died.

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Mrs. Paul Smarzyk is a patient in the local hospital.

Joan Anderson, underwent a tonsil operation, last week.

Mrs. Wendell McKee was admitted to the hospital, last week.

Frank Scott, left on a business trip to Calgary, this morning.

Via Saunders, is in Calgary, this week, incidentally renewing acquaintanceships with old friends.

Choose your Christmas gifts at the Bazaar, Saturday, October, 10.

Jack Flood is reported to have overtaken a coyote, while riding horseback, and killed the animal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Clarkson, and family, and Miss G. Summers, of Kindersley, were the visitors of Mrs. S. G. Clarkson, on Sunday.

Mrs. Lang, who has been paying an extended visit here with her mother, Mrs. Kelley, left this morning for her home in California, travelling via Shelby.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. Wallace, left this morning for Regina.

A party of local ninorods were out game hunting this morning.

Jack Boswell has removed his vulcanizing works into the premises formerly occupied by Gary Tucker.

Mrs. Frost, is confined to her house, this week, on account of illness.

The teachers of the Maple Creek and Gull Lake inspectorates are holding their annual Convention, at Leader, Friday, October 15.

Special orchestral music will accompany the showing of "Ypres" at the local theatre on Saturday evening. This is a British film, showing actual scenes of fighting in the front line trenches.

Rev. N. W. Whitmore, spent a couple of days this week, calling at the towns between here and Idlesleigh, in connection with the presentation of a very strong film, "The Stream of Life," to be exhibited by Mr. McAllister of the Extension Dept. of Alberta University. The film will be shown in the Sunday School room of the United Church on Tuesday evening, October 19. Fuller notice next week.

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Threshing in the country southwest from town is now practically all cleaned up.

Someone remarked: "If wives only knew what stenographers thought of their husbands they would cease to worry."

Tom Rowles, sr., we are pleased to see, is now convalescent from his recent illness, and able to be around town again.

Norris and Willard Storey and Harold Boyd, left on a trip by car across to Maple Creek Wednesday.

Harvesters are now returning from the East, and many are on their way back to Vancouver.

Marion Torry, who re-wrote on Grade XI, subjects in Calgary, was successful in making a pass on these subjects.

Gen. Clark, made a trip west, by car this week. He sailed on Roy Higgins at Milo. He says about 50 per cent of the crop is threshed in this district.

A car of bran, flour and shorts was received by the Alberta Pacific Grain Co., this week.

Business Is Good

The farmer sells a load of wheat, and all the world goes fair and sweet; He hums a couple of cheerful tunes, And pays the grocer for his primes. The grocer who has had the blues, Now buys his wife a pair of shoes; The ten the shoeman thinks God sent, And runs and pays it on the rent. Next day the restaurant hands the bill To Doctor Carver for a pill, And Doctor Carver tells his frau That business is improving now, And closes her up, and says, "My dear, You have been quite feeble for a year. I'm thinking you should take a rest. You had better take a trip out West." And in a couple of days the frau Is on the farm of Joshua How, Who takes the bill and says, "I now Have something that cannot be lost, This bill is the one I got for wheat." He hums a couple of cheerful tunes, And goes and buys a lot more primes. —A. W. Manuel in Current Affairs.

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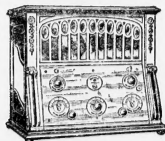
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